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Ms. Kirsten Walli, Board Secretary **ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD** 2300 Yonge Street, 27th Floor Toronto ON M4P 1E4

Dear Ms. Walli:

Re: EB-2010-0184: Motion by Consumers Council of Canada (CCC) in relation to section 26.1 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* and Ontario Regulation 66/10.

Industrial Gas Users Association (IGUA) Request for Observer Status.

We write as legal counsel to IGUA.

We are in receipt of a copy of CCC's Notice of Motion in the captioned proceeding, and have reviewed the Board's Procedural Orders No.s 1 and 2 therein.

IGUA has, for some time, been concerned regarding the policy underlying, and the legitimacy of, the so called "Special Purpose Charge" mandated by section 26.1 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998.* Accordingly IGUA has an interest in the progress and outcome of CCC's motion to the Board.

Pursuant to Rule 25.01 of the Board's *Rules of Practice and Procedure* IGUA hereby requests that it be served with all documents issued by the Board in this proceeding.

By copy of this letter to counsel for CCC and to the Attorney General of Ontario, IGUA further hereby requests, pursuant to Rule 25.02, that it be served with documents filed by either of these parties in this proceeding.

IGUA anticipates, and hereby consents to, service on it of documents herein by e-mail to the writer, and thus assumes that there will be no expenses associated with any such service. If this

assumption is, for some reason, incorrect, I would appreciate being contacted so that I can authorize incurrence of any necessary expenses associated with service to which Rule 25.03 might apply.

Yours truly,

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